

Environmental Protection Agency

§211.105

Agency or his authorized representative.

(d) *Agency* means the United States Environmental Protection Agency.

(e) *Acoustic descriptor* means the numeric, symbolic, or narrative information describing a product's acoustic properties as they are determined according to the test methodology that the Agency prescribes.

(f) *Export exemption* means an exemption from the prohibitions of section 10(a) (3) and (4) of the Act; this type of exemption is granted by statute under section 10(b)(2) of the Act for the purpose of exporting regulated products.

(g) *National security exemption* means an exemption from the prohibitions of section 10(a) (3) and (5) of the Act, which may be granted under section 10(b)(1) of the Act in cases involving national security.

(h) *Product* means any noise-producing or noise-reducing product for which regulations have been promulgated under part 211; the term includes "test product".

(i) *Regulations published under this part* means all subparts to part 211.

(j) *Testing exemption* means an exemption from the prohibitions of section 10(a) (1), (2), (3), and (5) of the Act, which may be granted under section 10(b)(1) of the Act for research, investigations, studies, demonstrations, or training, but not for national security.

(k) *Test product* means any product that must be tested according to regulations published under part 211.

§211.103 Number and gender.

In this part, words in the singular will be understood to include the plural, and words in the masculine gender will be understood to include the feminine, and vice versa, as the case may require.

§211.104 Label content.

The following data and information must be on the label of all products for which regulations have been published under this part:

(a) The term "Noise Rating" if the product produces noise, or the term "Noise Reduction Rating" if the product reduces noise;

(b) The acoustic rating descriptor that is determined according to procedures specified in the regulations that will be published under this part;

(c) Comparative acoustic rating information, which EPA will specify in the regulations published under this part;

(d) A product manufacturer identification consisting of: (1) The Company name, and (2) The City and State of the principal office;

(e) A product model number or type identification;

(f) The phrase "Federal law prohibits removal of this label prior to purchase";

(g) The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency logo, as shown in Figure 1;

(h) The phrase "Label Required by U.S. EPA regulation 40 CFR part 211, subpart ____."



FIGURE 1

§211.105 Label format.

(a) Unless specified otherwise in other regulations published under this part, the format of the label must be as shown in Figure 2. The label must include all data and information required under §211.104.

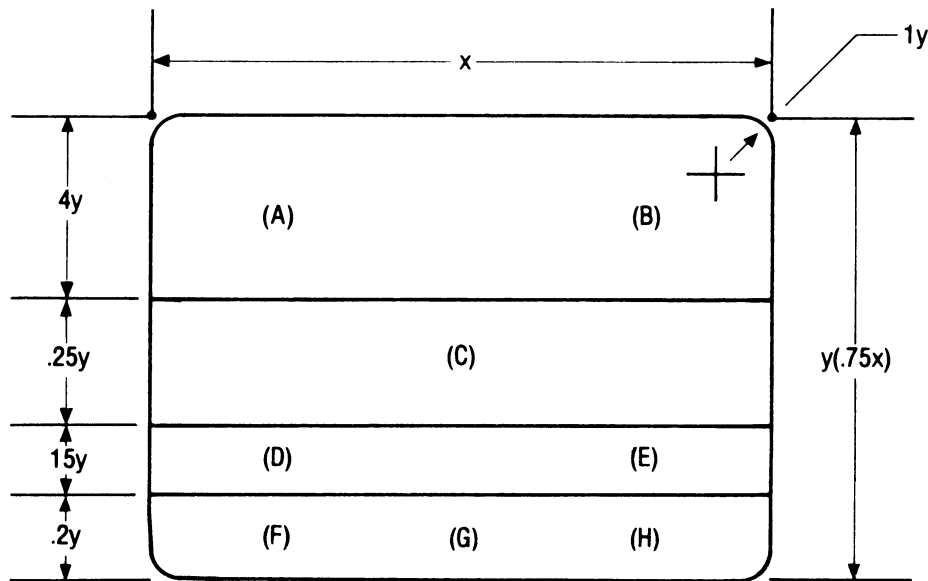


FIGURE - 2

(b) Unless EPA specifies otherwise in regulations published under this part, the required data and information specified in § 211.104 (a) through (h) must be located in the following areas of the prescribed label (see Figure 2 of this section):

- (1) Section 211.104 (a)—Area A.
- (2) Section 211.104 (b)—Area B.
- (3) Section 211.104 (c)—Area C.
- (4) Section 211.104 (d)—Area D.
- (5) Section 211.104 (e)—Area E.
- (6) Section 211.104 (f)—Area F.
- (7) Section 211.104 (g)—Area G.
- (8) Section 211.104 (h)—Area H.

§ 211.106 Graphical requirements.

(a) *Color.* Unless EPA requires otherwise, the product manufacturer or supplier must determine the colors used for the label background, borders, and all included letters, numerals, and figures. However, the colors on the label must contrast sufficiently with each other and with any information or ma-

terial surrounding the label so that the label and the information within it are clearly visible and legible.

(b) *Label Size.* The prescribed label must be sized as specified in regulations published under this part.

(c) *Character Style.* Except when specified otherwise in this part, all letters and numerals that appear on the prescribed label must be Helvetica Medium.

(d) *Character Size.* All letters and numerals that appear on the prescribed label must be sized as specified in regulations published under this part.

§ 211.107 Label type and location.

The prescribed label must be of the type and in the location specified in regulations published under this part.

§ 211.108 Sample label.

Examples of labels conforming to the requirements of §§ 211.104, 211.105, and 211.106 are presented in Figure 3.